

# Zanaki language

**Zanaki** (*Ikizanaki*) is a Bantu language of Tanzania. It is spoken by the Zanaki people of Musoma and was the first language of Tanzanian president Julius Nyerere,<sup>[4]</sup> son of the King Burito Nyerere (1860–1942).

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Zanaki	
<b>Native to</b>	Tanzania
<b>Region</b>	Mara Region, <div></div> Musoma Rural District, <div></div> Makongoro Division
<b>Native speakers</b>	100,000 (2005) <sup>[1]</sup>
<b>Language family</b>	<div>Niger–Congo<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Atlantic–Congo<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Benue–Congo<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Bantoid<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Bantu<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Northeast Bantu<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Great Lakes Bantu<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Logooli–Kuria (E.40)<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li><b>Zanaki</b></li></ul></li></ul></li></ul></li></ul></li></ul></li></ul></li></ul></li></ul></div>
Language codes	
<b>ISO 639-3</b>	zak
<b>Glottolog</b>	zana1238 ( <a href="http://glottolog.org/resource/anguoid/id/zana1238">http://glottolog.org/resource/anguoid/id/zana1238</a> ) <sup>[2]</sup>
<b>Guthrie code</b>	JE.44 <sup>[3]</sup>

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